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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT CLEARANCE FOR THAILAND LEAHY REQUEST - JUSMAG -
AMPHIBIOUS PLAN SENIOR OFFICER INTERNATIONAL

REF: BANGKOK 186

¶1. (SBU) The Department of State reviewed its files and found that, to date, it possesses no credible evidence of gross violations of human rights committed by the individual listed below. This individual is a candidate to participate in the JUSMAG Amphibious Plan Senior Officer International, Expeditionary Warfare Training Group-Pacific in San Diego, CA. The event scheduled runs from January 6, 2009 through April 17, 2009.

¶2. (U) Candidate:

Name: Weerachai Leeka
DPOB: 10/23/1966; Surathani Province, Thailand
Title/Rank: Captain
Unit: Marine Corps School Education Headquarters, Royal Thai Marine Corps

¶3. (U) Post may provide the following statement to authorized parties: Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the individual identified above, as of this date. Post may cite this cable in response.

¶4. (U) If, in the future, post becomes aware of possible human rights violations by the individual listed above, post should inform the Department and not proceed with training.

¶5. (U) POC for this action is Jameson DeBose:

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